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General Counsel Harvard University

Dear Sir:

I have had delivered to me, through Mr. Mitchell Rogovin, your request made to Mr. Fred Schwartz for a list of all mail that CIA opened where Harvard was listed as the addressee or addressor.

I have started processing your request under the Freedom of Information Act and anticipate being able to respond to your request shortly. So that I may address my response correctly and assure its prompt delivery to you, I would appreciate a short acknowledgement from you of this letter.

Sincerely,

/S/ GFW

Gene F. Wilson Information and Privacy Coordinator

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Mitchell Rogovin, Esq. Arnold & Porter

Dear Mr. Rogovin:

As I have not heard from you subsequent to your conversation with Fritz Schwarz about the opening of Harvard mail by the CIA, I thought it might be useful if I wrote you. The matter is of serious concern to the University, and we would like to resolve it as quickly as possible.

There are a few questions for which we would appreciate receiving answers. First, we would like to know with some specificity what Harvard mail was opened and when it was opened. (By "Harvard mail" I mean any item mailed to someone in a University building.) Second, we would like to know why Harvard mail was opened and what legal basis, if any, existed for this practice. Finally, we would like to know what assurances we can receive from the CIA on whether the practice (or any kind of surveillance of our mail) is continuing today and, if not, whether it will occur again in the future.

Sincerely,

Daniel Steiner General Counsel